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A. W. Anderson, Chief of the Fish and Wildlife Service's Division of Commercial Fisheries, has been named as the United States member of the Standing Advisory Committee on Fisheries for the international Food and Agriculture Organization, Secretary of the Interior J. A. Krug announced today.

Mr. Anderson will attend the first meeting of the Committee at Bergen, Norway, on August 23. Other members of the Committee include representatives from the United Kingdom, Denmark, Norway, India, Canada, Newfoundland and Iceland. It is expected that members from France, China and South America will be appointed later.

The meeting of the Advisory Committee is in preparation for the second annual conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization, to be held in Copenhagen beginning September 2.

Among the items to be considered by the Committee in Bergen will be recommendations from ad hoc committees, the relation of FAO to international government and public bodies, the international machinery for Food and Agriculture, and representation on Standing Advisory Committees.

At the conclusion of the Standing Advisory Committee meeting in Bergen Mr. Anderson will attend the conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization in Copenhagen in the capacity of fishery adviser to Under Secretary Dodd of the Department of Agriculture, the United States delegate.